canal. It was not usual to put up bunds before the close of the North East Monsoon but yet one was put up this year but rains came immediatley after and the bund was not actually necessary at that time.

Parur-Chennamangalam bridge—Construction of.

38. Mr. E. Ikkanda Warriar *(Urakam).*—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(1) when was the Parur-Chennamangalam bridge programmed to be completed originally;

(2) when is it expected to be completed; and the reasons for the delay;

(3) whether there are cartable metalled or gravelled roads in Chennamangalam; and if so, their length?

Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon *(Chief Engineer).*—(1) On the last day of Vrischigam 1112.

(2) By 30th Makaram 1113.

Delay in getting possession of the site required for the work on the Travancore side of the river.

(3) There are no cartable roads.

Land Acquisition proceedings—Maradu-Nettur road construction

39. Mr. A. Narayana Menon *(Vyttila).*—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(1) whether land acquisition proceedings a e complete for the construction of the Maradu-Nettur road;

(2) if not, when would they be completed?

Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon *(Chief Engineer).*—(1) No. It is presumed that the Hon'ble Member means Mangayil-Nettur road.

(2) In 1114.

Annamalai Road Scheme—Report on.

40. Mr. E. Ikkanda Warriar *(Urakam).*—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

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